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| | ALTENBURG AIRFIELD (June 1956) | 25X1 |
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| 1. | AIRCRAFT (22 Jun 56) | |
| (a) | Approx 80 MTG 15s and 40 U-MIG 15s. The aircraft are dispersed | 25X1 |
| (b) [| | 25 X 1 |
| 2. | AIRCRAFT CRASH | |
| | A MIG 15 from ALTENBURG airfield crashed on Monday, 18th June, after an explosion in the air. The pilot, a captain, was killed. | |
| 3. | RUNWAY | |
| | The actual runway ends but 25 hectares of woodlands beyond this point have been felled to facilitate take-off and landing. | 25 X 1 |
| 4. | WONKSHOPS | |
| | Repairs and assembly take place in one of the two remaining hangars. | |
| 5. | M. W. VEHICLES | |
| | M.T. vehicles are parked | 25 X 1 |
| 6. | $\underline{\Lambda}_{\bullet}\underline{\Lambda}_{\bullet}$ | |
| | From 9-23 Jun 56, all A.A. guns and equipment left by rail for the USSR at night. | |
| 7• | GROUND RADAR | |
| (a) | TOKEN | 25 X 1 |
| (b) | FISHNET | 25 X 1 |
| 8. | POL | |
| (a) | From 9-23 Jun 56, 9 2-axle rail tankers arrived from ZEITZ. The source of the fuel was BREWAG, near ZEITZ. | |
| (b) | There are 14 fuel tanks buried Observation indicates that each tank is capable of taking the contents of one complete 2-axle rail tanker. | 25 X 1 |
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| 9. | PERSONNEL STRENGTH | | |
| (a) | 200 officers up to the rank of captain in single quarte known as Block 1. | rs | 25X1 |
| (b) | Approximately 70 officers in married quarters. The number has recently increased slightly. | | |
| (c) | 1200 O.R.s. | | |
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